

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

Of the County Board of Supervisors, Portage County, Wisconsin.

FOURTH DAY

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 18, 1910, 9 o'clock a.m. Meeting called to order by the chairman, Hon. J. O. Foxen. Roll called by the clerk and all members present. Clerk read minutes of previous meeting and they were approved with one correction.

Clerk read report of county treasurer. Referred to committee on settlement with county officers. Clerk read report of bridge committee as follows: To A. E. Bourn, county clerk of Portage county, Wisconsin:—We, the committee appointed to act with the supervisors of the town of Pine Grove, receiving aid from the county in building a bridge, respectfully report as follows: That on the 15 day of July, A. D. 1910, we went with the supervisors of said town of Pine Grove and contracted for a bridge to be built on the crest top at a price of \$269.26, two hundred sixty-nine and twenty six one hundredths dollars, complete, to be paid for inside of sixty days. That on the 30 day of August, we met with the town board and found the bridge complete and accepted the same, one half of same, being \$134.63, one hundred thirty-four and sixty three one hundredths dollars, the amount to be paid by the county. Respectfully, Wm. H. Ragan, A. F. Else, county committee.

Moved by Supervisor Tetzloff that the report of said county committee be adopted. Motion carried.

Clerk read report of the Soldiers Relief commission as follows:—Stevens Point, Wisconsin, Oct. 31, 1910.—The Soldiers Relief commission beg leave to make their annual report for the year ending Oct. 31, 1910. We have aided the following persons during the last year as follows:

Naoma Field, Carson.....	6.50
J. P. Chapman, city.....	131.00
S. Merryfield, city.....	14.00
Sarah Lynn, city.....	20.00
Bryan Tully, city.....	25.00
Irene Coats, city.....	24.00
R. M. Hughes, city.....	60.00
Mary Fitzmorris, city.....	20.00
Mrs. H. H. Moore, Plover.....	35.00
Mrs. Wm. Skillings, Buena Vista.....	40.00
Henry Simpier, city.....	5.00
Nelson Herrick, city.....	67.24
Diadem Kolby, Linwood.....	25.00
Walter Kline, city.....	10.00
Mary Gova, city.....	10.00
Jerome Adams, Buena Vista.....	
John Smith, transient.....	
Charles Peters, transient.....	4.00
Myra Sweet, city.....	
F. V. Nelson, transient.....	2.00
R. C. Davis, city.....	
Total.....	

RECAPITULATION

Cash on hand Nov. 1, 1909.....	909.7
Tax for 1910.....	909.7
Total to be accounted for.....	
Transferred to general fund, April 1.....	729.98
Paid out for relief.....	417.95
Cash on hand Nov. 1, 1910.....	1,644.11
Total.....	

Respectfully submitted. H. H. Hoffman, chairman; S. D. Clark, secretary; Chas. Dake

Moved by Supervisor A. Kluck to adopt the report. Motion carried. Clerk read application of H. J. Kankrud for the position of poor farm agent, which was placed on file.

Clerk read bills Nos. 37 to 45, inclusive, general claims, files, which were referred to the committee on claims.

Moved by Supervisor Sawyer to rescind the motion to visit the poor farm on Monday, Nov. 28, and to visit the farm on Wednesday, Nov. 23, 1910. Motion carried.

Moved by Supervisor Carpenter to adjourn until 1:30 p. m. Motion carried.

Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 18, 1910, 1:30 p. m. Meeting called to order by chairman, Hon. J. O. Foxen. Roll called by clerk, all members present.

Reading of letter from Wisconsin state land department by the clerk. Clerk then distributed the annexed statement of recapitulation of real estate sales by assessment districts.

Assessment Districts				TOTAL				LOTS				LANDS			
Number of sales	Considered action	Assessed Value	Number of sales	Considered action	Assessed Value	Number of sales	Considered action	Assessed Value	Number of sales	Considered action	Assessed Value	Number of sales	Considered action	Assessed Value	Number of sales
Albion.....	10	18,400	7,900	1	260	9	497	17,800	7,650			9	497	17,800	7,650
Almond.....	9	24,725	12,825	8	2,650	620	620	24,725	9,800			620	620	24,725	9,800
Amherst.....	10	26,300	11,960	8	2,650	461	461	26,300	9,800			461	461	26,300	9,800
Belmont.....	11	12,087	6,895	1	800	1,110	1,110	12,087	18,735			1,110	1,110	12,087	18,735
Buena Vista.....	17	21,850	8,970	1	800	909	909	21,850	8,970			909	909	21,850	8,970
Carson.....	13	22,235	8,970	1	1,750	1,208	1,208	22,235	8,970			1,208	1,208	22,235	8,970
Dewey.....	11	19,800	8,970	1	800	657	657	19,800	8,970			657	657	19,800	8,970
Grant.....	29	26,876	13,775	1	800	2,120	2,120	26,876	13,775			2,120	2,120	26,876	13,775
Hall.....	11	18,565	13,775	1	800	607	607	18,565	13,775			607	607	18,565	13,775
Lamar.....	9	33,550	18,615	1	220	1,080	1,080	33,550	18,615			1,080	1,080	33,550	18,615
Linwood.....	13	28,175	10,975	1	800	1,006	1,006	28,175	10,975			1,006	1,006	28,175	10,975
New Hope.....	14	33,550	18,615	1	220	1,080	1,080	33,550	18,615			1,080	1,080	33,550	18,615
Plover.....	16	19,180	9,210	2	900	1,319	1,319	19,180	9,210			1,319	1,319	19,180	9,210
Pine Grove.....	21	40,340	14,524	2	900	1,066	1,066	40,340	14,524			1,066	1,066	40,340	14,524
Sharon.....	17	40,685	11,905	1	2,400	1,165	1,165	40,685	11,905			1,165	1,165	40,685	11,905
Stoughton.....	8	20,000	7,250	1	800	400	400	20,000	7,250			400	400	20,000	7,250
Village of Albion.....	18	10,827	4,825	4	2,670	5,980	5,980	10,827	4,825			5,980	5,980	10,827	4,825
Village of Amherst.....	4	8,475	2,615	4	2,015	2,615	2,615	8,475	2,615			2,615	2,615	8,475	2,615
Village of Koskub.....	6	3,475	40,775	6	47,572	40,775	40,775	3,475	40,775			40,775	40,775	3,475	40,775
City of Stevens Point.....	54	47,572	296,609	89	77,043	57,464	223	16,586	416,112	173,065		223	16,586	416,112	173,065
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Stevens Point, Wis., Nov. 28, 1910, 1:30 p. m. Meeting called to order by chairman, Hon. J. O. Foxen. Clerk called the roll, all members present except Supervisor Gilbert, excused. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. Clerk read a resolution by Supervisor Precourt as follows:—Whereas, the Board of Supervisors of Portage County has heretofore designated a depository, other than the county treasurer, for the deposit of all funds belonging to the county, and has fixed the bond of such depository as required by law. Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved by the Board of Supervisors of Portage County, in annual meeting assembled, that the amount of the bond to be exacted of the county treasurer be modified, and that the amount thereof be fixed at a sum equal to twenty per cent of the amount of all taxes, including all drainage funds, directed by the county board to be levied and received by the treasurer during the ensuing year. Dated this 28 day of November, A. D. 1910. L. A. Precourt, supervisor of Buena Vista. Moved by Supervisor A. Kluck that the resolution be laid over until tomorrow afternoon. Motion carried. Clerk read bills of general claims, Nos. 46 to 52 which were referred to the committee on claims. Clerk read Sheriff's bills Nos. 23 and 24 which were referred to committee on sheriffs and constables fees. Supervisor Park extended an invitation to the members of the county board to a banquet of the Business Men's association tomorrow evening, for which invitation he was thanked by the honorable chairman. Clerk read the report of the District Attorney. It was referred to the committee on settlement with county officers. Moved by Supervisor Sawyer that the meeting adjourn until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. Motion carried.

Illusions of Life.

Life is like a beautiful and winding lane—on either side bright flowers and beautiful butterflies and tempting fruits, which we scarcely pause to admire and to taste, so eager are we to hasten to an opening which we imagine will be more beautiful still. But by degrees as we advance the trees grow bleak, the flowers and butterflies fall, the fruits disappear, and we find we have arrived—to reach a desert waste.—G. A. Sala.

Knew When He Was Well Off.

Sanitarium Doctor—So Mrs. Pittsfield was here while I was away? Nurse—Yes, sir. She wanted to take her husband home, but he said he preferred to stay here. Doctor—I've suspected that case all along; the man is not crazy at all.—Puck.

What He Saved.

Mr. Hubb—I haven't saved a dollar since I married you. Mrs. Hubb—Oh, what a fib! You've saved nearly half you had in the bank at that time.—Boston Transcript.

A Matter of Choice.

Maud—Miss Oldum declares that she is single from choice. Ethel—That's true. The man she expected to marry chose another.—Exchange.

We rarely confess that we deserve what we suffer.—Quesnel.

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Scott's Emulsion

in a very short time. It not only builds her up, but enriches the mother's milk and properly nourishes the child. Nearly all mothers who nurse their children should take this splendid food-tonic, not only to keep up their own strength but to properly nourish their children.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS

Send 10c., name of paper and this ad. for our beautiful Savings Bank and Child's Sketch-Book. Each book contains a Good Luck Penny. SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl St., New York

Providing for the Future.

"Why do you insist on taking that youngster's photograph every few weeks?" "After he has plunged into the hardships and responsibilities of mature life he can take the pictures out and look at 'em. When he sees how his mother used to dress him and cut his hair he'll feel more resigned to being grown up."—Washington Star.

Millions of Bottles

Of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey used annually is good evidence that it is a good remedy for lagrippe, coughs, colds and all throat and bronchial troubles. Look for the Bell on the bottle. Sold everywhere.

The story from New York that loans to the aggregate of \$50,000,000 have been negotiated abroad indicates that American credit is excellent, and also that the money is likely to be put where it will do the most good in promoting American enterprises. Incidentally it is proof that the money market is by no means as "hard" as has been supposed.

If shoveling in coal and carrying out the ashes were all there is to running a furnace it would be excellent exercise. But many a man becomes dangerously fatigued when it comes to writing out checks for the coal merchant.

Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey

Is a household word in every state in the union as well as in several foreign countries. For gripe, coughs, colds, asthma and throat troubles it is the best. Sold everywhere. Look for the Bell on the bottle.

California is one of the western states which shows rapid growth. The census figures just announced give California a population of 2,377,549, a gain of 60.1 per cent. over 1900. This is the largest increase made by any state from which the final census returns have yet been received, and shows that "the glorious climate of California" and other allurements are attracting settlers quite as numerous as did the gold fever of '49 and later.

A Medicine

That lives ten years must have merit. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey has been sold for sixteen years and sales have increased every year. So you run no risk. We guarantee it. At all dealers.

Brilliant Idea.

Uncle Treetop (on his way to the dentist's office)—"Most likely it'll stop aching by the time I get in the chair. If it does, I'll pretend I've made a mistake and tell him I want a haircut."

Eczema, Ringworm.

Tetter, chapped hands or lips, boils, sores and all skin diseases are quickly cured by the use of Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve. 25c a box at all dealers. A creamy snow white ointment.

Maxims of a Novelist.

"Relations always want to know where you are going and what you are doing—there's nothing so curious as relations." "One gets to know people better in one's thoughts sometimes than when one is with them."—"Sir George's Objection," by Mrs. W. K. Clifford.


Pellucid English.

A sign in a tailor shop attracts "Lougfellows" eye, and he sends in a copy thereof as follows: "Notice! Work that is made here when altered after ninety days is got to be paid."—Newark News.

C. Krems & Bro., Established in 1863.

At their store on public square you will always find a full stock of general hardware, tinware, stoves, ranges, lawnmowers, plows, cultivators, pumps, ropes, fence wire, mill supplies of all descriptions, etc. All orders for roofing and other tin and sheet iron work promptly executed. Also agents for the celebrated Round Oak furnace. tf

TIME IS SLIPPING AWAY
YOU CANT OPEN A
BANK ACCOUNT
YESTERDAY.
TO MORROW
NEVER COMES.



Do you want to
make up some day
and find your self
old and poor?
No! Put it in the Bank
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The president of the largest shoe house in the world saved part of his money when he clerked in a store. The man he worked for liked this and took him into partnership. About forty years ago he had saved Ten Thousand Dollars. Today he is worth nearly Ten Millions. Make your own moral. We will pay you 3 per cent interest on the money you put in our bank, and compound the interest every 6 months.

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SOUTH SIDE AND RAILROAD

Personal and News Items of More or Less Importance to Readers of The Gazette.

Miss Grace Abb, who had been visiting at Antigo for a couple of weeks, has returned home.

Paul Pohlmer, who has been employed as clerk at the Ashland ore dock of the Soo company, arrived here last week and is now assisting in Supt. VanVeenburg's office.

Otto Spindler, a freight conductor on the Soo line, has moved his family here from Abbotsford and they now occupy the cottage at the southwest corner of Church and Wisconsin streets.

Henry Stuart, night clerk at the Soo lunch counter, is enjoying a vacation of a few weeks and will spend part of it in Chicago north of here and will also go to Chicago for a visit with the family of the late G. P. McAdam.

Ed. Peterson, one of the many railroad people from Abbotsford recently transferred to this city, and who is employed as a helper in the Soo roundhouse, moved his family here last Friday and they occupy a home on the South Side.

Clarence Hopkins, a boilermaker employed at the Soo roundhouse in this city, has moved his family from Abbotsford and they are now getting settled in a house owned by Mrs. Ellen Leahy on Jefferson street, just east of Illinois avenue.

Jos. Watuba has come here from Abbotsford to act as operator in the yard office of the Soo line. He succeeds Ben Dagneau, who is transferred to the passenger station and will have charge of telegraph instruments installed in the ticket office.

Jas. C. McGinley and family have moved to this city from North Fond du Lac. "Jim," who is a pioneer Portage county boy, had been with the Northwestern until recently, when he entered the employ of the Soo, and will be on duty here in the yard service in the future.

Mike Riley, a former resident of Lanark, but who is now employed as switchman on the Soo line and had been located at Abbotsford for a few years, will move his family from the latter town this week and occupy a house near the corner of Jefferson and Reserve streets.

Due to a head-on collision at Wheeling, Ill., last Thursday, between Soo southbound freight No. 28, in charge of Conductor McCarthy, with Engineer Rupp at the throttle, and northbound extra freight No. 2426, in charge of Conductor Johnson and Engineer Krueger, Engineer Rupp had one of his legs injured and Brakeman Ratz had his face cut. Both engines were damaged and several cars were derailed, delaying traffic. The wreck was caused by a misplaced switch.

Bresnahan & Maurer's new amusement hall on Strong's avenue, The Della, will open Thursday evening of this week and moving picture entertainments will be given nightly thereafter. The hall has a seating capacity of over 200 people and as the South Side is a very busy portion of town since the recent change in divisions on the Soo line, there is no question but that the new enterprise will prove a financial success. Mr. Maurer, who recently moved here from Marshfield, will act as general manager.

Miss Addie Smith returned last night from Bayfield and was accompanied here by her sister, Mrs. Delbert Otto, and the latter's three children, who will spend several days among numerous relatives in this city and county. Miss Smith went to Bayfield a week ago in response to a message announcing the death of Mrs. Otto's youngest daughter, Eleanor, aged 15 months, who passed away on Tuesday following an illness of only about 24 hours with pneumonia.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO IT HAS NOT "GONE BUMP"

Articles and Items of News that Appeared in the Columns of The Gazette, Quarter of a Century Ago Today.

Mrs. Geo. Spurr received a pension of about \$600 from Washington last week, her husband having served his country during the civil war.

Misses Lizzie Nugent, Mollie Burns, Etta O'Keefe and Mamie Dunagan spent last Saturday and Sunday visiting Miss Mary Clark in Stockton.

Miss Esther Kirwan left for her home at Baltimore, Md., last Wednesday evening after an extended visit at the home of her brother, F. G. Kirwan, in this city.

Geo. T. Waketield, who previous to a couple of weeks ago was engaged as engineer on the Central, is now employed in the Central machine shops in this city.

Arthur White of Greenwood, Clark county, is spending a few days visiting his mother and brother, A. R. White. The first named gentleman is engaged in the hardware business at Greenwood.

Jas. Moylan, who has held the position of mail agent on the Portage branch of the Central for nearly a year past, has been promoted to a run on the St. Paul road between Chicago and Minneapolis.

Last Saturday being the birthday anniversary of Geo. W. Ghoca's little daughter, Georgia, a number of her little friends assembled at the Curran House, where most of the afternoon was spent in having a good time.

E. D. Brown sold to Robt. McMillen & Co. of Oshkosh, last week, an extensive tract of pine land in Lincoln county, for which he received the sum of \$27,000. The logs will be run down the Wolf river to Oshkosh.

Daniel Hubbard, a former well known resident of this city and county, died at Oshkosh last Wednesday afternoon. The remains were brought here Saturday and taken to the undertaking rooms of D. H. Vaughn from where the funeral took place at 2 o'clock that afternoon. The deceased leaves three children, Jas., who lives above Jordan, Geo. of this city and Mrs. Nelson Angle of Billings, Mont.

At the annual meeting of the Stevens Point Boom Co., held at the council rooms yesterday afternoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Pres., Jas. Reilly; vice pres., E. M. Copps; secretary, O. C. Wheelock; treas., A. E. Morse; directors, Jas. Reilly, A. E. Bosworth, E. M. Copps, C. R. Smith, E. D. Smith, S. E. Karner, Owen Clark, Thos. Welch and Jos. Austin. D. H. Vaughn will continue in charge of the boom, his three year contract not having expired as yet.

John Rennie, one of the best known men in the Wisconsin pineries, died at his home on Main street at about 11 o'clock last Friday morning. He had been in poor health for about two years, but was confined to his home only about eight weeks before his death. He was 66 years of age and had been a resident of Stevens Point for 37 years. He was born near Glasgow, Scotland, and when 23 years of age came to this country. He was a poor man upon his arrival, but by energy and perseverance accumulated wealth and for years past had been one of the leading lumbermen on the Wisconsin river.

At St. Stephen's church this afternoon will be solemnized the marriage of Miss Lizzie Meehan, daughter of Hon. Jas. Meehan of this city, and Starr K. Rounds of Lincoln, Neb. Miss Frankie Quinn will act as bridesmaid and Jas. Moylan as groomsmen. For the past couple of years, up to the close of last term, the bride-to-be has taught the intermediate department in the Fourth ward school, and previous to that she attended school at Oshkosh. Mr. Rounds is engaged in the lumber business at Lincoln. The young couple will leave immediately for Milwaukee, Notre Dame, Ind., and other cities below for a short wedding trip before departing for their future home in the west.

Sounds Good to Us.

The following from our friend J. J. Nelson of Amherst, was received a few days ago, and its the kind of a message that helps to keep the fires burning when the temperature is from 25 to 30 below: "Enclosed please find check for \$4.00 to pay my subscription to Feb. 27, 1912. Wishing you a happy New Year I am," etc.

W. E. Allen Has a Few Things to Say About the Bead Lake Mine, Past and Future.

Editor of The Gazette: I read with much interest in last week's Gazette the piece copied from the Chippewa Falls Herald, headed "Bead Lake Gone Bump." I do not know what the author of this piece means by the word bump, but I do know that a few of his statements are made without any authority and without knowing the facts and may be considered a malicious act of a confirmed knocker.

Concerning Bead Lake, will state that the miners are still working on the property and only last Saturday I received from a man in charge of the work a very encouraging letter. In fact, he stated that he had located the ledge on the Mary Boone group, which we had been working for some time. During the past three years nearly all the money paid for work on the property was furnished by Spokane people or parties who saw the property and felt that it was a good investment, which shows that the writer knew nothing of the facts in stating that "Eastern suckers were furnishing the money."

During the past year there has been over four thousand dollars (\$4,000) put into the property with excellent results. I cannot state that we have a shipping mine, but I do state that the prospects of Bead Lake are much better than ever before. In order to guarantee the funds to hold the property according to law and do the required amount of development work, the company reorganized. This fact, no doubt led the writer to believe that he had an opportunity to state that the company was in a poor condition, but such is not the case.

In the statement I find that according to the writer's knowledge, real estate values in Spokane have dropped. This is not true. Real estate in Spokane today is selling for a better price than ever before and there are a large number of transfers at the increased valuation.

His statement that I left Wisconsin to look after the Bead Lake property personally is also a mistake. Concerning the meager reports, will state that I have always made an effort to report any news of value, good or bad, to the stockholders and during the past few years Bead Lake is not the only mining company finding it difficult to raise funds enough to push the development work. Consequently there was not a great deal to say. Concerning the assessment of the stock, I feel and so do the majority of the Bead Lake stockholders, that it was much better to have the stock assessable and insure the protection and development of the property than to leave it in the old form and subject to loss of title each year. In fact the old stockholders of the company have nearly all paid their assessments and the work at the property is progressing nicely, which is a much better condition than to leave it idle and wait for years to get funds to do the work with.

If the readers of The Gazette knew as well as I do what a knocker Mr. Dee is, they would read the piece with a feeling that it is merely a knock from a chronic knocker who bet more on a mining property than he could afford to lose. However, if they wish more evidence to prove Mr. Dee a knocker, I would have them write to the following gentlemen in his town: Judge F. W. Jenkins, municipal judge; Tony Weinberger, merchant; Robt. B. Clark, commission merchant; L. Amhurst, merchant and former secretary of the Northern Wis. State Fair, and W. H. Briggman of Stanley, who have felt his knockings and still live.

Am pleased to know that Mr. Dee has lived long enough to learn that all that glitters is not gold, and hope he has learned that he should not bet any more on a hole in the ground than he can afford to lose without playing the baby act.

Wishing yourself and the readers of The Gazette, as well as all my acquaintances and friends, a happy and prosperous 1911, I remain,

Yours very respectfully,

W. E. Allen.

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 3, 1911.

Wanted.

Thirty-five clerks, ladies and gentlemen. Apply at once to J. Worzalla & Sons.

Ashes On the Street.

I notice that some people have again adopted that peculiar custom of dumping their ashes on the public streets or alleys, and wish to say that persistent warnings have been issued in the past by the police department against this practice, and as there seems to be no reasonable excuse for the ordinances on this subject to be disregarded I shall take immediate steps to abate this nuisance. Violators of this ordinance may expect prosecution according to the provisions thereof. I also at the same time wish to draw the attention to any and all who have their wood sawed on the streets to immediately clean up the sawdust and refuse after the work is done or else prosecution will follow.

John S. Hafsoos,
Chief of Police.

Dane, Jefferson, Rock, Marathon and a number of other counties in the state began the new year by passing a resolution requiring county officers who receive salaries and fees to keep a record of all receipts of their offices and make a report of the same to the county board on the first day of November, 1911, and annually thereafter file a statement showing such receipts by months. The resolution cited that the object of this was to get an accurate basis on which to determine the salaries of the officers, furthermore to provide a record of receipts from all sources.

Wife's Duty.

A wife is not doing her duty if she loves her husband more than she loves herself.—Father Donnelly.

Life Is as One Makes It.

Every day that is born into the world comes like a burst of music, and rings itself all the day through; and thou shalt make of it a dance, a dirge or a life march, as thou wilt.—Carlyle.

Sacrifice Sale.

The people of Stevens Point and surrounding country will be greatly benefited by the tremendous sacrifice sale at J. Worzalla & Sons' store, which will begin on Jan. 18, at 8:30 a. m. This sale is under the management of T. K. Kelly of Minneapolis, Minn.

J. Worzalla & Sons inform us that the prices quoted on their stock are in many instances less than they could purchase the same for at the factory in case lots. Their reason for making this sacrifice is that they are greatly overstocked, and in order to reduce their stock quickly they will give the people of Stevens Point and vicinity their entire profits during this great sale. This sale will surely prove to be a great boon to the people who are never slow to take advantage of an opportunity such as this great sacrifice sale will afford. J. Worzalla & Sons say they have prepared for an immense crowd of people, having engaged 25 extra sales people, in order to serve all properly.

We bespeak for them a record breaking business during the sale, as they have never carried any except the most reliable, dependable merchandise. We expect to see hundreds of people in attendance at this big sale as the public knows that when J. Worzalla & Sons say they will give the people great bargains, they may well believe it, for their reputation for truth and square dealing is known for miles around. It is safe to say a sale such as this comes but once in a lifetime, and the public no doubt will buy out the majority of the combined clothing, dry goods, men's furnishing goods, shoes, etc., quickly. The store will be closed Monday and Tuesday, January 16 and 17, to arrange and mark down the stock, and will not be opened for business until the opening day of the big sale, which starts Wednesday, January 18, at 8:30 a. m. Sale lasts 10 days only.

Special Subscription Offer.

The Milwaukee Journal, one of Wisconsin's best metropolitan dailies, is offered in connection with The Gazette at a special price for a limited time. Both papers for one year at \$3.75, strictly in advance. Take advantage of this opportunity to get your favorite home paper and a firstclass daily.

It is Governor McGovern now. It is Capt. Duncan McGregor, private secretary—a man of political sagacity, keen business judgment and seventy-five summers. He is a veteran of the war that was history before Governor McGovern could balance himself upright. Governor McGovern, though the youngest man to hold the office of chief executive of Wisconsin, evidently believes in the trite saying, "Old men for counsel, young men for war," and with a double reserve of keen Scottish insight and interper determination to draw from him, he may be expected to eclipse all his predecessors in having his views and policies written into the statutes of Wisconsin. The outlook is excellent that he will make good.—Waupaca Republican-Post.

If Duncan McGregor were now in Scotland instead of America he would no doubt be a leader among the Scottish clan, as he has been among the educators of Wisconsin these many years. With Gov. McGovern, however, it would be different, as his parents hailed from the "ould sod," otherwise known as the green isle of Ireland, as did also the ancestors of "Tom" Morris, Wisconsin's lieutenant governor. This is the first time in the history of the state that Irish-Americans held the two leading offices in this commonwealth. And to think that both are Republicans! Wouldn't that make the memory of Patrick Henry turn yellow wondering what's coming next?

In our library there are some shelves,
And papa save me too,
On them I keep stories of elves
And frisky animals too.
The elves and animals fill up one
Except a little bit,
And on the end just for fun
The "Little Men" do sit.
—Brooklyn Eagle.

Mrs. Bacon—John, there is a time for everything, you know.

Mr. Bacon—Are you sure of that, dear?

"Yes, quite sure."

"Well, when will it be time for me to say a few words in my own house?"
—Yonkers Statesman.

She was shy when she went away
Two months ago precisely.
But kisses now, I have to say,
Real nicely.

She was shy for a city miss;
I look at it astutely
And wonder how she learned to kiss
So cutely.

But she is not inclined to tell,
And I can only ponder.
How do girls learn to kiss so well?
I wonder.

—Washington Herald.

(Official Publication.)

REPORT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION

OF THE
WISCONSIN STATE BANK

Located at Stevens Point,
State of Wisconsin

at the close of business on the 7th day of
Jan., 1911, pursuant to call by the
Commissioner of Banking.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$94,054.98
Overdrafts	23.25
Banking house	7,040.00
Furniture and fixtures	3,000.00
Other real estate owned	2,600.00
Due from approved reserve banks	3,322.68
Exchanges for clearing house	1,015.36
Cash on hand	8,465.25
Total	\$119,622.52

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$30,000.00
Undivided profits	858.66
Due to banks—deposits	4,392.31
Individual deposits subject to check	23,962.91
Demand certificates of deposit	4,528.35
Time certificates of deposit	51,755.10
Savings deposits	1,260.08
Total	\$119,622.54

State of Wisconsin, ss.
County of Portage, ss.
I, G. H. Warner, cashier of the above
named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my
knowledge and belief.

G. H. WARNER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this
11th day of Jan., 1911.
Notary Public.
My commission expires March 27, 1912.

Correct Attest:
L. A. POMEROY,

Director.

Queer Medical Treatment.
"Spotted fever" received some queer treatment in John Wesley's day, according to Wesley's Journal of September, 1746. A man named John Trembath had the fever and Wesley wrote: "It was the second relapse into the spotted fever, in the height of which they gave him sack, cold milk and apples, plums, as much as he could swallow. I can see no way to account for his recovery, but that he had not yet finished his work."

Revealing Character.
There is nothing in which people betray their character more than in what they find to laugh at.—Goethe.

Virtues That Command Success.
Vigilance in watching opportunity; tact and daring in seizing upon opportunity; force and persistence in crowding opportunity to its utmost of possible achievement—these are the martial virtues which must command success.—Phelps.

SPECIAL FOR FAIR DAY

January 19, 1911

One lot Men's Pants 98c
\$1.50 and \$2 goods

Only 2 pair to a customer

Our entire line of Wool
Dress Goods at a

20 per cent. Discount
Not more than 9 yards to a customer

FAIR DAY ONLY

P. ROTHMAN & CO.

HOW MUCH HAVE YOU SAVED?

Just Think a Moment—Then What is Your Answer?

Money earned and saved should be placed in a bank where it will be protected. Laying aside money at home, where it does not pay for itself, is not saving.

Begin right now and start a bank account by depositing part of your salary monthly in this strong bank. This depositing habit should be one of the best resolutions that you make any day of the year 1911.

We will be glad to take care of your savings for you, and here, at the Wisconsin State Bank, (your bank) they will be protected by the only bank in the city of Stevens Point authorized by law to loan money on real estate mortgages.

We pay the highest rate of interest on savings and time deposits. We save for the State of Wisconsin, why not for you?

STATE DEPOSITORY

THE WISCONSIN STATE BANK

Great Clearing Sale

--at the--

Chicago Clothing Store

405 Main St. Stevens Point, Wis.

—commencing—

Thursday, January 19

\$15,000 worth of up-to-date Clothing, Furnishings, Winter Underwear, Hats, Caps, Mittens, Gloves, Sweater Coats, Fur Coats, Mackinaws, Sheep skin Lined Coats and in fact everything carried in an Up-to-date Clothing Store to be sacrificed regardless of value

Wait for the opening of this
GREAT CLEARING SALE

THURSDAY, January 19, 1911

Watch for circulars. It will pay you to wait.

I. Shafton, Prop.

JANUARY CLEARING SALE

Beginning Monday, January 16th, and continuing for two weeks, we will hold a clearing sale, when prices will be cut way down on the following lines:

Ladies' Coats and Suits, Furs of all kinds, Children's Coats, Flannels, Blankets, Bath Robes, Men's Fur and Fur Lined Coats, Mackinaws, Duck Coats, Corduroy Coats, Heavy Rubbers, Over-shoes, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Etc.

Remnants in everything at about one-half.
New Spring Goods arriving daily.

KUHL BROS.

Twice-Told Testimony

Stevens Point People are Doing all They Can for Fellow Sufferers.

Stevens Point testimony has been published to prove the merit of Doan's Kidney Pills to others in Stevens Point who suffer from back aches and kidney ills. Last any sufferer doubt that the cures made by Doan's Kidney Pills are thorough and lasting, we produce confirmed proof—statements from Stevens Point—people saying that the cures they told of years ago were permanent. Here's a Stevens Point case:

J. P. Chesley, 742 Strong's avenue, Stevens Point, Wis., says: "I take pleasure in confirming all I said about Doan's Kidney Pills when I publicly recommended them in 1907. Several years ago I suffered from disordered kidneys and nothing seemed to have any effect on my trouble. Members of my family had used Doan's Kidney Pills with benefit and I was finally led to get a supply at Taylor Bros. drug store and begin their use. They gave me prompt and gratifying relief. I now keep Doan's Kidney Pills in the house all the time and I consider them the best kidney medicine to be had."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cts. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agent for the U. S.

Remember the name—DOANS—and take no other.

ESTABLISHED AUG. 1 1883.

First National Bank

OF STEVENS POINT, WIS.
UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.

CAPITAL - \$100,000.00

A. R. WEEK, Pres. R. L. KRAUS, V. P.
J. W. DUNN, Cashier.

Directors: A. R. Week, C. D. McFarland
W. D. Connor, P. J. Jacobs, J. W. Dunagan,
R. L. Kraus.

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Refuse all Substitutes.

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Get your supply for CHICHESTER'S

DIAMOND BRAND PILLS in Red and

Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue

Ribbon. TAKE NO OTHER. Buy of your

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DIAMOND BRAND PILLS. For twenty-five

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STEVENS POINT, WIS.

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"It's Different in Life."
"In now is the virtuous hero. Always
waits twenty years for the equally vir-
tuous heroine. In real life neither
waits for the other more than 20 min-
utes, and sometimes not even that. If
there is anything more exciting going
on."—Diana of Dreams by G. B.
Burkin

Couldn't Hear It.
Vicar—James, I have not seen you
at church for some months. Does not
the voice of duty call to you? James—
Maybe it do sir, but since I had the
influenza last winter I've been as deaf
as a post.—M. A. P.

Humbling.
"And so, Miss Alma, you reject me
well, to humble your pride a little,
I'll tell you that you are by no means
the first."—Flegende Blaetter.

CUT RATE SHIPPING

Cut rates on household goods to Pacific
coast and other points. Superior
service at reduced rates. The Boyd
Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn. tf

Government Type.

The type set in the government
printing office last year would reach
one and one-half times around the
world. It is believed that something
like a quarter of a mile of the printed
lines was read.

He Never Got His Money

Back. Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve
cured his eyes and he did not want it.
Painless and harmless. 25 cents at all
dealers.

The Clothes Brush

Sometimes the useful clothes brush
is the only unattractive thing on a
lady's dressing table. The "pretties"
never have good brushes and the
plain wooden handle can be made to
harmonize with the room by covering
it with flowered silk. Cover the raw
edges with galon.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is not

a common, every-day cough mixture.
It is a meritorious remedy for all the
troublesome and dangerous complica-
tions resulting from cold in the head,
throat, chest or lungs. Sold by H. D.
McCulloch Co.

Novel Reading and Intellect.

"One who reads all the new novels
can't be said to have literary taste,"
says the Philosopher of Folly. "You
might as well boast that you had an
intellectual feast when you had calves'
brains for supper."

What Can We Say

More than if you are not satisfied after
using Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve we
will refund your money. 25c at all
dealers.

LA FOLLETTE

Knows what is

The fearless

going on at

aggressive

Washington.

uncompromising

Will you let him

champion of

tell you about it

the rights of the

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La Follette's

WEEKLY MAGAZINE

This magazine was established to be p

bring about real representative govern

ment and equality of opportunity in

the United States.

DO YOU WANT

To take a hand in the great contest now

waging?

Special privilege vs. Public welfare?

To know what is happening week by

week. In this struggle for a people's gov-

ernment?

To keep abreast of movements that

have in view better conditions of living,

a fairer share of what you help to pro-

duce; and a square deal to all?

THEN

You are interested in the offer printed

below. If you earnestly desire to get

the news about what is going on out on the

Firing Line, you can get La Follette's and

THE GAZETTE

BOTH ONE YEAR

for \$2.50 in advance. Send in your

order and cash to

THE GAZETTE,

Stevens Point, Wis

[First pub. Jan. 4-4 ins.]

ORDER FOR ADJUSTMENT OF CLAIMS

and Notices to Creditors. In Probate-

Portage County Court. In the matter of

the will of John E. Leary, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of John

E. Leary, deceased, having been issued to

Nora Leary, as executrix.

It is Ordered, that the time until and includ-

ing the first Tuesday of July, A. D. 1911,

at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be and is hereby

SHADE TREES PRESERVE ROAD

Their Value in Making Highways Durable.

The value of shade trees in preserv-
ing roads is pointed out by an enthu-
siast in a letter recently printed in
the Manchester (N. H.) Union. The
writer deprecates the misdirected ac-
tivity of the average selectman and
advocates the planting of shade trees
rather than their removal, asserting
that they are a help to the roads.

"Perhaps no other agency," he says,
"has contributed so much to the desola-
tion of naturally beautiful districts in
New England as what is in up
country parlance called the select-
man. He is a big man in his town
and, with his brothers on the board,
controls the finances, schools, roads
and all matters of town government
and improvement.

"His one great achievement while in
office is to cut down all the shade
trees or whatever might grow to be
shade trees along the roads. He, as a
rule, knows nothing of road building,
and, believing that the only way to
get rid of water is to dig it up instead
of constructing his road of material



A SHADED ROAD—CAN YOU SEE THE BENE-
FIT OF TREES?

[Courtesy Good Roads New York.]

other than garden loam, crowning it
to shed water, grading his ditches to
avoid the usual pools left to soak into
the road, opening sluices to let the
water run away from the side ditches,
he simply cuts the trees down and
waits for his mud bed to dry up. In
the course of time it does dry up, and
then, except during or immediately
after rains, when it is a mass of mud,
it is a bed of dust and all summer is
a hot and stifling desert road, an ex-
hibit of ignorance and incompetency.

"The best preserved country roads
that have to bear the heavy motor
traffic of the present day are those
with ample shade. If a road cannot
be oiled it needs moisture. The shade,
except in very dry periods, will retain
sufficient moisture to preserve the
elasticity of the road surface. There
is no danger of mud if the road is
properly constructed.

"If you can't build your roads with
asphalt or oil, plant some shade trees.
Make your town comfortable for
yourself and your family and so at-
tractive by its good roads and shady
ways that the stranger will buy the
worthless half of your farm for twice
what any farmer would pay for your
entire property, land, buildings,
stock and mortgage.

"Then the rest of your life you can
sell the purchaser anything you raise
on the fertile part of your farm that
you retained and get employment for
your teams and your boys helping him
to spend his money on the old stony
pastures you sold to him. Meantime
he will pay the town more taxes in
five years than your place previously
paid in twenty-five. But you will
never catch him in a town that cuts
the trees and bushes from the road
sides."

To Farm a State's Roads.

Governor Carroll of Iowa has pro-
posed that the width of that state's
roads be cut down from sixty to forty
feet and that the strips of land thus
saved be turned over to the farmers
for cultivation. He believes that forty
feet is wide enough for a country
road, that such a road will be better
and more easily cared for than the
wider one and that the twenty extra
feet now all owed is simply wasted.
The title to this land, if the plan is
carried out, naturally vests in the
owners of land adjoining the roads, as
the state's right to it is simply for
highway purposes, so the measure will
be popular with farmers. It is esti-
mated that 8,500,000 bushels of corn
can be added to Iowa's crop and \$3
per capita to her wealth if this land is
farmed.—Youth's Companion.

Interest Money Built Roads.

The county commissioners of Shaw-
nee county, Kan., have built nearly
forty miles of good roads with the
money formerly used for paying in-
terest on bonds.

As rapidly as the bonded debt was
reduced the money which formerly
had been used to pay interest was ex-
pended on macadam roads. There was
no additional burden on the taxpayers.
Instead, the tax levy was decreased
in most instances and good roads lead
into Topeka from nearly every direc-
tion as a result.

FOUND.

Where to buy rugs, all sizes and
patterns, pure table linen, sewing
machines, silverware, window and
door curtains, pictures, crockery,
lamps, linoleum, furniture, all sold
on monthly payments. Everything
new and up-to-date. G. B. Dodge,
house furnisher, Stevens Point, Wis.,
918 Normal avenue. Telephone red
232. j27tf

The latest thing at Newport is a
rag-time bear dinner. A bull and bear
dance would look pretty lively, only it
would be unpleasantly suggestive of
"shop."

An Opportunity.

An improved farm, located in south-
ern Minnesota, for sale or will trade
for a stock of general merchandise.
Address N. Q. care The Gazette, Stev-
ens Point, Wis. tf

A motorcycle ran against the rear
end of an Indiana mule the other day
and it is reported that two or three
pieces of the machine were afterward
found almost intact.

At St. Paul's Ev. Luth. Church.

German services every first and third
Sunday of each month at 2 p. m. and
every second and fourth Sunday at 10
a. m. English service every first and
third Sunday at 7:30 p. m.
tf Rev. B. O. Richter, Pastor.

One of the Harvard professors path-
etically declares that Yankee blood is
dying out. We suspect that the trouble
with him is that he hasn't been away
from a big town lately.

Wood and Land.

The last chance to get wood to burn
in your homes. I have for sale cheap,
land covered with pulp and other wood,
located near this city. It will be sold
in small pieces and long time given on
payments. Enquire of J. P. Malick. tf

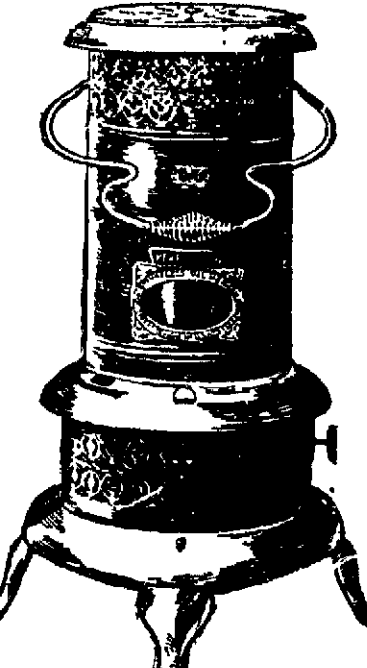
A man in New York bet six months
in jail on the election and lost. Now,
despite his efforts, he can't break into
jail to pay the debt. A worse hard
luck tale could scarcely be told.

A bank note that had been washed
and ironed by a fastidious woman was
pronounced a counterfeit. The public,
evidently, is familiar only with filthy
lucres.

Have you a weak throat? If so, you
cannot be too careful. You cannot be-
gin treatment too early. Each cold
makes you more liable to another and
the last is always the harder to cure.
If you will take Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy at the outset you will be saved
much trouble. Sold by H. D. McCul-
loch Co.

An Indiana man died recently after
having lived for ninety years without
ever having had his face shaved or his
hair cut, so he claimed, but the story
seems incredible. Surely his mother
must have cut his hair when he was too
young to put up a fight.

You Can Work Near a Window



In winter when you have a Perfection
Oil Heater. It is a portable
radiator which can be moved to
any part of a room, or to any room
in a house. When you have a

PERFECTION SMOKELESS OIL HEATER

Absolutely smokeless and odorless

you do not have to work close to the
stove, which is usually far from the
window. You can work where you
wish, and be warm. You can work on
dull winter days in the full light near
the window, without being chilled to
the bone.

The Perfection Oil Heater quickly
gives heat, and with one filling of the
stove, which is usually far from the
window. You can work where you
wish, and be warm. You can work on
dull winter days in the full light near
the window, without being chilled to
the bone.

font burns steadily for nine hours,
without smoke or smell. An
indicator always shows the amount of oil in the font. The filler-
cap, put in like a cork in a bottle, is attached by a chain. This
heater has a cool handle and a damper top.

The Perfection Oil Heater has an automatic-locking
flame spreader, which prevents the wick from being turned
high enough to smoke, and is easy to remove and drop back, so
the wick can be quickly cleaned. The burner body or gallery
cannot become wedged and can be unscrewed in an instant for
rewicking. The Perfection Oil Heater is finished in japan or
nickel, is strong, durable, well-made, built for service, and yet
light and ornamental.

Dealers Everywhere. If not at yours, write for descriptive circular
to the nearest agency of the

Standard Oil Company

(Incorporated)

A Mississippi man who put a stick
of dynamite in his pocket and then fell
down with it will recover from his in-
juries. A man so favored by pure
"dumb luck" as this ought to be in
steady demand as a mascot.

Dandruff and Itching

Scalp Yield to

This Treatment

Why experiment trying to drive the
dandruff germ from underneath the
skin with greasy lotions or fancy hair
dressing when H. D. McCulloch Co.
will guarantee ZEMO and ZEMO
SOAP to entirely rid the scalp of the
germ life that causes the trouble.

ZEMO and ZEMO SOAP can be ob-
tained in any city or town in America
and are recognized the best and most
economical treatment for all affections
of the skin or scalp whether on infant
or grown person. One shampoo with
ZEMO SOAP and an application of
ZEMO will stop itching and cleanse
the scalp of dandruff and scurf.

We invite you to try ZEMO and
ZEMO SOAP and if not entirely
satisfied we will refund your money.

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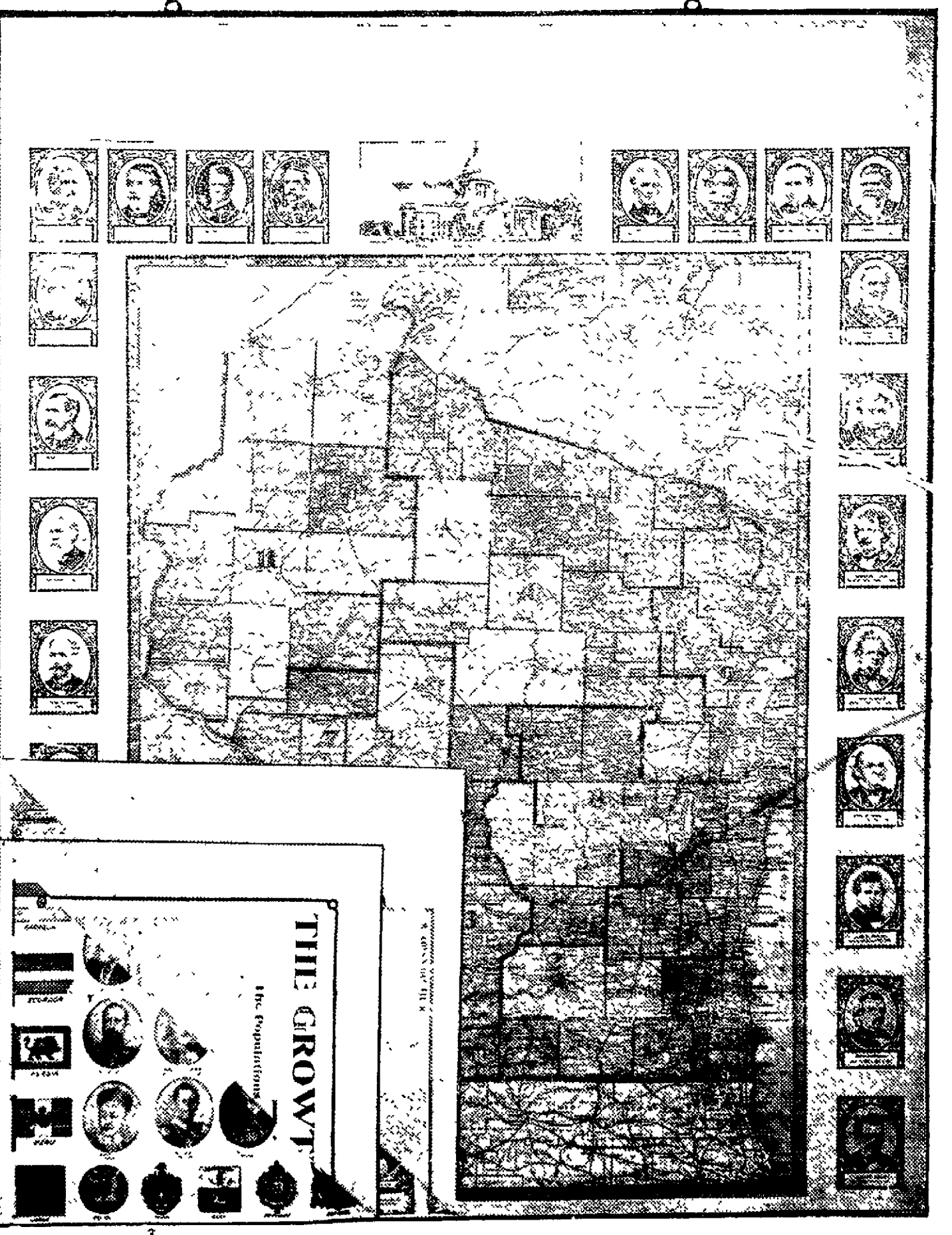
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100 cloaks now	\$5.65
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Wednesday, January 18th, 1911

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Men's business suits, particularly adapted for rough wear in good dark and light mixtures. Worth \$7.00 & \$8.00, Sale Price... \$3.89

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One Lot Boys' 2 piece suits regular price \$2.50, now only... \$1.39

Boys' Knee Pants regular price 75c, Sale Price... 39c

One Lot of Boys' Long Pants Suits worth \$8.00, Sale Price... \$4.35

One Lot Boys' Long Pants Suits, worth \$6.00, Sale Price... \$3.69

Men's \$12.00 Overcoats, Now only... \$7.45

Men's \$15.00 Overcoats, Now only... \$10.45

Boys' \$3.50 Overcoats all sizes, Now... \$2.25

One Lot of Young Men's Overcoats, regular price \$12.00, Sale Price... \$7.45

One Lot of Boys' vests worth 75c, Now... 19c

Men's Trousers

Men's \$1.25 Pants Now... 83c
Men's \$1.50 Pants, Now... 98c
Men's 2.50 Pants, Now \$1.69

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Men's Wool, fleece lined underwear, Now... 33c
Men's fancy Dress Shirts, worth 75c, Now... 38c
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Men's 50c Wool Sox, Now 19c
Men's 75c Coat Sweaters, 43c
Boys' 50c Coat Sweaters 39c
Men's 25c Suspenders... 19c
Men's \$4.50 and \$5.00 Sheep Lined Coats, Now... \$3.13
Men's \$6.00 and \$6.50 Duck Corduroy Sheep Lined Coats, now... \$4.85
Blankets and Quilts for less than the price of the Material

\$1.50 quilts, Now... 98c
\$2.00 quilts, Now... 1.35
\$2.50 quilts, Now... 1.89

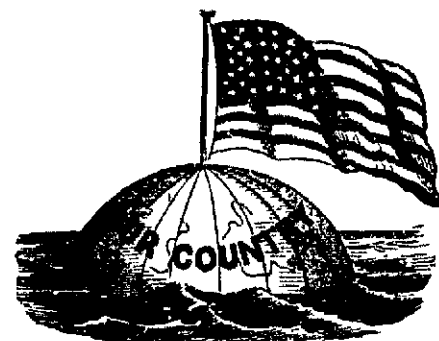
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Childrens fine Shoes ages from 6 to 9 years, regular price \$1.25, Sale Price... 89c
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Men's \$3.00 Shoes, Now 1.89
Men's \$3.50 Shoes, Now 2.69
Men's Black and Olive Elk Work Shoes, regular price \$3.00, Sale Price... \$1.79
One Lot of Men's Grain Leather work Shoes, regular price \$2.00, Sale Price 1.39
One Lot of Boys' Shoes ages from 13 to 15 worth \$2.25, Sale Price... \$1.39
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Ladies' \$2.00 shoes... \$1.13
Ladies' \$2.50 Shoes... 1.39
Ladies' \$3.00 and \$3.50 Shoes, Now... \$1.89
Men's \$1.50 Overshoes... 98c

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STEVENS POINT, WIS., JANUARY 11, 1914.

IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD
OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED
FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the
Perusal of the Busy Man—
Latest Personal Infor-
mation.

PERSONAL.

Funeral services over the body of Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia, who died in Washington from septic poisoning, after an illness of nearly a year, were held at Elkins, W. Va. Large delegations of public men were in attendance at the funeral ceremony.

Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island is reported ill at his Washington residence with tonsillitis and other throat troubles.

Senator Elihu Root of New York is said to be preparing a speech against Senator William Lorimer of Illinois, to be delivered shortly after congress reconvenes.

Eugene O. Pocoly, French consul at Cincinnati, is trying to collect a fortune of \$54,000,000 said to have been left by a French priest who died, in Ohio. He has received a power of attorney authorizing him to collect the vast fortune left by Bartholomew Mallet.

A dispatch received at San Francisco from Klamath Falls, Ore., says that Congressman Hopkins of Pennsylvania has sold his sugar pine holdings in that district to an eastern syndicate for \$3,500,000.

William Ellis Corey, for seven years president of the United States Steel corporation, has resigned that office, the resignation to take effect at the pleasure of the board of directors. It is probable that for the present there will be no successor elected to succeed Mr. Corey.

GENERAL NEWS.

According to the Journal do Commercio of Rio Janeiro, Joao Candido, leader of the recent revolt in the navy, and forty-four other mutineers have met sudden deaths. Candido succumbed to gangrene, twenty-six of his associates died from sunstroke and eighteen others were suffocated in their cells in the prison on Villegaignon Island.

Eight additional indictments were returned against Joseph G. Robin in the New York court of general session. Including the original indictment charging the theft of \$50,000, Robin is now accused of the larceny of \$297,000 from the Washington and Northern Savings banks, which he controlled.

William Muzzary and Algot Johnson, each nineteen years old, bellboy and night porter of the Hotel McKay, at Duluth, Minn., turned bandits, killed a policeman, held up a car and are being sought for by the police.

Minneapolis, Minn., was plunged into darkness and the commercial life of the city almost paralyzed by an explosion of the "13,000 wire" leading into the power plant of the Minneapolis General Electrical company. Fire followed and completed the demolition of the building. Two men were injured and the damage to the property is estimated at \$500,000.

Several were killed and fifty were wounded in a pitched battle between Spanish soldiers and rioters at Zueria, Spain. The rioting was the result of the high prices of food.

The factory of Bentley & Olmsted, shoe manufacturers, at Des Moines, Ia., completed last year, was burned to the ground with a loss of \$100,000, which included 20,000 pairs of shoes.

The United States and Spain are to be brought into closer touch with each other by an improved telegraph service between these two countries, according to consular reports.

The foreign banking house of P. V. Rovniansky & Co. of Pittsburgh, with branches in New York and Uniontown, Pa., was placed in the hands of a receiver. The liabilities are placed at \$1,000,000, with assets at \$1,400,000.

The "parlor" match ordinarily used in the United States is to be prohibited, if a bill introduced by Representative Mann of Chicago becomes a law.

W. J. Bryan asserts in the Commonwealth that no man can be nominated for president by the Democrats who refused to vote for him in 1896, 1900 and 1908.

The new agricultural school of Columbia university will be located at Fishkill-on-the-Hudson, north of New York. It is announced that William Blodgett has turned over to the university in memory of his mother a farm of about 700 acres for this purpose.

Asleep on his feet, Jacob Seligman, a baker, staggered into a power-driven doughnut mixer in New York and was drawn into the machine and chopped to pieces before the power could be shut off.

Engineer John Shields, Fireman O. M. Zarn and Brakeman W. T. Lias were killed when passenger train No. 18 on the Santa Fe railroad was wrecked on a curve a mile and a half south of Mulvane, Kan. Three baggage and mail cars were burned.

Chairman Crumpacker of the house committee on census presented his reapportionment bill based on the last census returns. It provides for a house membership of 433, or 42 more than at present.

Two thousand soldiers, accounted for relief work, were rushed into the earthquake stricken territory of Semirychensk, Turkestan, Thursday, where fully 2,000 are reported to have been killed or wounded in the terrific and devastating earth shocks. Practically 1,000 square miles of territory are said to have been shaken and whole towns wiped out.

Indorsement of the Democratic caucus for United States senator was given to Lieut. Gov-elect Atlee Pomerene of Canton, Stark county, O. When the legislature meets in joint session he will be elected to succeed the Republican senator, Charles Dick.

The Long Island railroad has issued an order compelling persons traveling on passes to make known their identity if the train is crowded and give up their seats to the fare paying passengers.

With the temperature 25 degrees below zero 40 students in St. Joseph's college, a Roman Catholic institution at Granby, Que., were routed from their beds shortly before midnight by a fire which destroyed the main building of the college.

The second fight of the American Tobacco corporations against dissolution by decree of the Supreme court of the United States under the Sherman anti-trust law was begun when their attorneys advanced a fusillade of arguments in behalf of their cause.

Advanced measures against "boss rule" and for popular control of government, such as direct nominations, the recall and the initiative and referendum, were advocated by Gov. Eugene N. Foss of Massachusetts in his inaugural address.

Over forty recommendations covering a wide range of questions was contained in the first message to the Michigan legislature by Gov. Chase S. Osborn. Among his recommendations were state control of the express companies, mining, royalty and income tax, the initiative, referendum and recall.

Two masked bandits entered the mail car on the Northern Pacific railroad just as the train was leaving the King street depot, Seattle. As soon as the first robber got in the door he shot Mail Clerk Harry O. Clark in the mouth.

Peru has agreed to submit its boundary dispute with Ecuador to the arbitration of The Hague tribunal. This is in compliance with the suggestion of the United States, Brazil and Argentina.

Expulsion of Senator D. W. Holst-law, self confessed bribe taker, from the senate of Illinois, was the feature of the convening of that body. This action is expected to go far in the precluding of an extended investigation by the senate of the Lorimer scandal, in which Senator Holst-law confessed he received \$2,500 for his vote.

Twelve years at hard labor in the prison, "and thence until the cost of prosecution is paid," was the sentence pronounced on James J. Gallagher, who shot Mayor Gaynor, in the court of oyer and terminer in Jersey City.

The federal government brought suit in the United States circuit court at New York under the Sherman anti-trust law against 43 of the principal transatlantic steamer lines, which are estimated to control 90 per cent of the steamer traffic, worth to them \$55,000,000 a year. Twelve officers of the defendant companies, all residents in America, are named as co-defendants.

Secretary of the Interior Ballinger has been advised that an approximate addition of \$500 a day has been made to the government's revenue from the lease of Indian oil lands in Oklahoma and Kansas, through the advance in the price of crude oil.

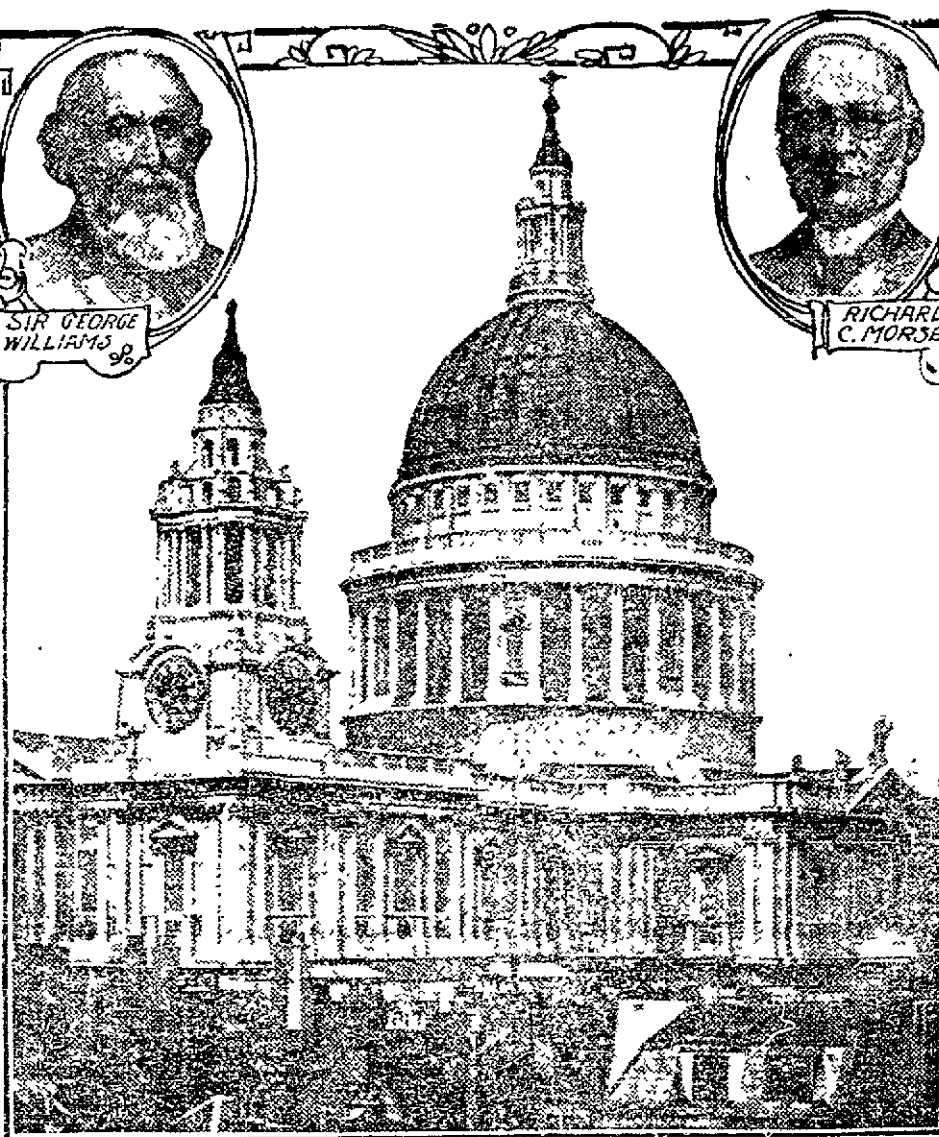
Deputy sheriffs arrested Chiffi Rossi in Seattle just as he reached for a decoy money package placed under the Spokane avenue bridge in answer to letters demanding \$2,000 from Fred Marino, a prosperous Georgetown Italian.

The first human remains from the old battleship Maine were brought to the surface in Havana harbor by a dredge. They consisted of two ribs and some small bones, apparently bones of the hand.

C. C. McChord of Kentucky and E. H. Meyer of Wisconsin, the newly-appointed members of the interstate commerce commission, took the oath of office at the offices of the commission.

With the administration of oaths of office as members of the Supreme court to Associate Justices Willis Van Devanter and Joseph R. Lamar, the tribunal at last has its ranks complete for the first time in 19 months.

GREAT GROWTH OF THE Y.M.C.A.



BIRTHPLACE OF THE Y.M.C.A.

SIXTY-SIX years ago, in a little upstairs room, used by a dry goods clerk, in St. Paul's church parish, London, 12 young men organized a society for the spiritual improvement of the employees of the large dry goods houses of the British metropolis.

Today that society, known throughout the world as the "Y. M. C. A." has grown to a membership of 900,000, is represented in 15 countries of the world; has over 8,000 separate societies; and owns buildings and property valued at considerably more than \$70,000,000.

In North America alone, it has over 3,000 paid secretaries and employees on its rolls devoting their time to its maintenance and expansion. It has branches from the Arctic Circle to the Cape of Good Hope, the Philippines and other ends of the earth. It has become a part of the man-building force of every important railroad and industrial concern, and the army and navy have seen its activities throughout their own ranks in all parts of the world, and on the battlefields of Manchuria and elsewhere.

In the present day of great buildings, gymnasiums and swimming pools, bowling alleys and billiard halls, libraries and educational classes, it is difficult to realize the small beginnings of the institution that has become the foremost association in the world for the aid of young men. If Sir George Williams, its founder, or the eleven who joined him in its former organization, could have foreseen the great ends of their work, it is doubtful if they would have brought to it the same qualities of mind that they possessed when it was launched.

Originally, as already indicated, the Young Men's Christian association was a voluntary organization among dry goods clerks, for the spiritual improvement of their fellow employees. After its organization by Williams and his associates in 1844, it was for some time known as the Drapers' Evangelical association, for want of a better name, and the title well expressed its aim and the purpose of its organization.

The athletic and popular features of the work are at complete variance with the ideas of most of the twelve earnest young men who founded the original society. Then it was entirely a religious movement, and it had not been discovered that young men could best be interested in religion through the activities that benefited their physical and mental bodies, and made better manhood. The very idea of an athletic contest, or a contest of any kind, was abhorrent to many of those who directed the association's early activities.

The United States and Canada have only 2,017 of these associations, but they embrace a membership of nearly 500,000; have property valued at more than \$60,000,000; and have over \$7,000,000 pledged in building funds and endowments. The British Isles, where the association was born and first flourished, have but 150,000 members, and buildings and property worth less than \$6,000,000.

In the United States the Y. M. C. A. has become the recognized exponent of better manhood and citizenship in every large city. The social, educational and spiritual features of the work have invaded almost every

field of masculine endeavor. Associations exist among the mining camps of Alaska, among the construction camps on the Grand Trunk Pacific and other roads; in the coal fields of West Virginia; the cotton mill districts of the south and north; at the navy yards and army and marine barracks.

The railroads have given buildings, building funds and maintenance funds, to associations in all of their large cities. There are over 234 railroad men's associations, with a membership of 85,000. Special rooms are provided for the association in many large railroad stations; and new buildings are put up where other provision is not at hand.

The whole history of the development of the association which has grown to such proportions and importance goes back to George Williams, the draper's clerk, who conceived the idea of the organization in his upstairs room in the dry goods store. The Y. M. C. A. was started purely from religious motives. Much of its prosperity has undoubtedly been due to the fact that it came from within the heart of one young man, less than 24 years old; it was not a ready-made movement, offered to such young men as cared to accept it.

Williams was a Christian of the Martin Luther character. He went to London at twenty, fell into the company of 140 young clerks in the dry goods establishment of Hitchcock & Rogers, and in three years had practically converted the establishment, for the head of the firm down.

By 1843 he had organized a missionary society and a young men's society within the store. In those days the clerks of a draper's store lived in dormitories provided for them. His work was so phenomenal that it attracted general notice throughout London, and it was for the purpose of spreading the movement among the clerks of other like establishments that the Drapers' Evangelical association, shortly after named the Young Men's Christian association, was organized by Williams and some earnest friends.

It was not until 1861 that the movement spread outside London. Williams himself carried it to Paris, on a business trip. A commercial traveler took the idea from Paris to Holland; a clerk from one of the London stores started a society in Adelaide, Australia, and associations sprung up shortly afterward in Boston, Montreal, Calcutta and other cities of the world.

Today the Y. M. C. A. is furnishing education for thousands of men. It keeps 14 secretaries at work in American and European ports to take care of immigrants and emigrants; it has immigrant secretaries in four associations in the United States. In Osaka, Japan, the night classes have 745 students; in St. Petersburg there are nearly 1,000 students.

It operates employment bureaus through which over 35,000 men in the United States and Canada secured positions in the last year. It provides lists of boarding places and hotels; furnishes a home to which wandering young men are always welcome, and adorns its walls with legends like, "Write Home to Mother," which help to keep wandering boys on the right track.

WORTH C. HARDER.

GOTHAM BANK SHUT

CARNEGIE TRUST COMPANY,
WITH DEPOSITS OF \$9,000,000,
IN NEW DIFFICULTY.

HAS CAPITAL OF \$1,500,000

Institution at One Time Headed by
Leslie M. Shaw—Big Loan Nego-
tiated Recently Said to Have Led to
Difficulty—Closing Not Unexpected

New York—The Carnegie Trust company, with nearly \$9,000,000 deposits and wide connections in the south and west, was closed Saturday by order of State Superintendent of Banks Choney.

The institution was in serious trouble in the panic of 1907 and never fully recovered. Its late president, Mr. Dickinson, died last year amid peculiar circumstances.

In 1907 the institution was organized and after the retirement of Leslie M. Shaw from the office of secretary of the treasury he became its president. The name of Carnegie as applied to the institution attracted to it much attention, but the adoption of this name was without Andrew Carnegie's authority or approval. It is understood he was not a stockholder and not immediately identified with it. Mr. Shaw's connection with the bank ceased after a few months because of differences with the other officers of the institution.

It is understood that a year ago the institution was in trouble growing out of the fact that one of its chief officers, in connection with a well-known banker of Wall street, effected a large loan from the company to enable him to buy and consolidate with it another institution, but this falling through left the Carnegie institution with a large amount of funds locked up.

The suspension was not unexpected in the financial district, and, though the pinning of the notice of closing on the doors brought a crowd of depositors and others having business with the institution, they gradually melted away and there was little to indicate that the failure had taken place. The suspension caused selling on the stock exchange, but the declines were not large. Important banking interests rendered support wherever necessary.

Announcement was made that the Equitable Trust company had absorbed the Madison Trust company and that J. P. Morgan & Co. would guarantee the deposits of the Nineteenth and Twelfth Ward banks.

Certain directors in the Carnegie company were also directors in the Madison, Nineteenth and Twelfth Ward institutions, but they have sold out their holdings and resigned.

CARBINEERS HOLD BACK MOB

Relatives of Camorristi Fail to Res-
cue Prisoners, Charged With Mur-
der, From Italian Officers.

Viterbo, Italy.—Thirty-two members of the Camorra, who have been in close confinement for three years, were transferred from Naples to the prison here for trial, after a rioting mob of relatives and sympathizers failed to rescue them from the police.

Heavily armed detachments of police and carbineers forced back the mob with their guns and succeeded in effecting the transfer of the men.

The men were brought here to stand trial for the murder of James Cuocolo, a leading member of the band, who had incurred the vengeance of the Camorristi for alleged acts of treachery. Cuocolo's body was found on the seashore near Naples in June, 1906, and the mutilated body of his wife was discovered shortly afterward in a house near by.

The prisoners descended from the car in groups of five chained together. They comprised all varieties of the social scale from dandy to lazzarone. Chief among them was Enrico Alfano, better known as Erricone, head of the Camorra, who was arrested in New York in April, 1907, by Detective Petrosino.

The mob, temporarily held in check by a show of authority, broke into cries, shrieks and execrations at sight of the prisoners, and attempted to break through the lines to get near them, but the carbineers pushed them back with their guns.

NAME DAVIS ELKINS SENATOR

Eldest Son of Late West Virginia
Statesman Will Hold Seat for
but Three Weeks.

Charleston, W. Va.—Davis Elkins, eldest son of the late United States Senator Stephen B. Elkins, was Sunday appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of his father. This seat young Elkins will hold for a period of but three weeks, when the legislature will appoint a successor.

WISCONSIN STATE NEWS

Ashland.—At a representative gathering of business men, brewery agents, ministers and priests, sentiment was practically unanimous against attempting to cut off sale of liquor to Indians by enforcement of Indian treaties, as advocated by the Anti-Saloon league. A committee of nine was appointed to confer with the saloon interests and ask them to stop the sale of liquor to Indians voluntarily. If this fails, agitation to close the saloons will follow.

Palmyra.—Mr. and Mrs. James Bogie, aged respectively seventy-two and sixty-seven years, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary with a large company of relatives and friends. The marriage took place January 1, 1861, in their native city, Dumfries, Fifeshire, Scotland. The couple, with their two boys, sailed for America and landed in New York July 13. They came to Wisconsin and located on a farm a few miles from Palmyra. Six years ago they bought a residence here and are quietly enjoying the fruits of their labors. Of eight children born to them, seven are living and attended the anniversary. They are; William Bogie, Troy; James Bogie, Oak Hill; Richard Bogie, Adams; John Bogie, Little Prairie; Royal Bogie, Beloit; Mrs. Wallace Hebard, Reeseville; Mrs. Charles Steahley, Pittsburg, Pa.

Marquette.—Attorney M. J. Doyle of Menominee made formal complaint to Governor McGovern, asking the removal from office of Justice John H. McGillis, an aged resident of Marquette, who has held many public offices. Doyle charges he was refused an opportunity on demand to see papers in the case before McGillis in which he represented defendant. When Doyle persisted in seeing the records he alleges that McGillis threatened him. Doyle swore out a criminal warrant, charging assault.

Marquette.—Although it had been generally reported that a committee of women would take forcible possession of the register of deeds' office if necessary for Adelaide B. Pratt, who received a majority of the votes for that office, the scene that materialized was orderly. Miss Pratt, accompanied by an attorney, made formal demand for the office, exhibiting her election certificate. Emery D. Galigneau, her opponent, refused to give up office on advice of counsel.

Janesville.—Dan Godfrey, a switchman on the Milwaukee road, fell from a freight car during the storm and was severely injured.

Marquette.—Receiving fatal injuries from two sources at the same time was the peculiar experience of A. G. Lund, twenty-eight, a groom of six months, in the lumber woods at Goll. Lund fell when running to escape a falling tree, and his head was split open by an ax in the fall. At the same time he was struck by the tree and crushed. He died almost instantly.

Madison.—Isaac Stephenson, after serving two years of his term in the United States senate, will face a renewed fight on his right to his seat at the coming session of the legislature which dissented from the majority report, declaring that Senator Stephenson's election was accomplished without the improper use of money, plans to bring in a report declaring money was used improperly and asking that the senator's seat be declared vacant.

La Crosse.—Saved from being crushed to death under an automobile which had turned turtle in a small creek, because the ends of the machine rested on the banks of the stream, Dr. S. R. Wakefield of West Salem and his chauffeur, Andrew Johnson, drenched to the skin, crawled out unharmed. The physician had been called to see a patient. The machine skidded in the snow.

Grantsburg.—A. J. Myrland filed his bond the other day with the county clerk for the seventh consecutive term as district attorney of Burnett county. To this office he has been elected three times after strong fights and four times without any opposing candidate. He is a university classmate of Governor-elect McGovern. Mr. Myrland has been a member of the board of regents of the University of Wisconsin for four years.

Madison.—The city water department of Madison was put under the supervision of City Engineer John F. Locke and his salary increased from \$1,800 to \$2,450. Mr. Locke succeeds Superintendent John B. Helm, who has been head of the water department for 23 years.

La Crosse.—Charles Stein, railroad worker, who was shot when mistaken by the sheriff's posse as being one of the train robbers who tried to rob the Burlington limited at Prescott, recently, will demand from the village damages of \$163.50 for every one of 153 shot which entered his body. All but 25 have been plucked out by physicians and for a long time Stein's life was despaired of. He demands a total of \$25,000 damages.

The GIRL and the BILL

SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER VI.

A Chance Lead.

At the expense of a soiled hat Herbert Orme saves from arrest a girl in a black touring car who has caused a traffic jam on State street. He buys a new hat and is given a five dollar bill with: "Remember the person you pay this to," written on it. A second time he helps the girl in the black car and learns that in Tom and Fessie Wallingham they have mutual friends, but gets no further hint of her identity. He discovers another inscription on the marked bill, which in a futile attempt to decipher it, he copies and places the copy in a drawer in his apartment. Sonor Fortiol, South American, calls and claims the marked bill. Orme refuses, and a fight ensues in which Fortiol is overcome. He calls in Sonor Alcatraz, minister from his country, to vouch for him. Orme still refuses to give up the bill. He learns that a Jap has called for him. Orme goes for a walk and sees two Japs attack Alcatraz. He rescues him. The minister tries diplomacy, but fails to get the marked bill. Returning to his rooms Orme is attacked by two Japs who effect a forcible exchange of the marked bill for another. Orme finds the girl of the black car waiting for him. She also wants the bill. Orme tells his story. She recognizes one of the Japs as her father's butler, Maku. The second inscription on the bill is the key to the hiding place of important papers stolen from her father. Both Japs and South Americans want the papers. Orme and the "Girl" start out in the black car in quest of the papers. In the university grounds in Evanston the hiding place is located. Maku and another Jap are there. Orme tells Maku and the other Jap escapes.

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So he jumped to his feet and ran northward, then turned to the west. Circling about, he made for the gate at which he had entered. His pursuer either took the wrong lead in the darkness or stopped to examine Maku, for when Orme went through the gate and doubled back, outside the fence, to the car, there was no sound of steps behind him. He jumped to the chauffeur's seat.

"Well?" inquired the girl, eagerly. "Too late," said Orme. "I'm sorry. I caught Maku, but the man with the envelope got away."

She laid a hand on his arm. "Are you hurt?" There was unconcealed anxiety in her voice.

To say the things he yearned to say! To be tender to her! But he controlled his feelings and explained briefly what had happened, at the same time throwing on the power and driving the car slowly northward.

"I only know that the fellow ran northward," he said. "He may have worked back or he may have gone on. He may have climbed another tree and waited."

By this time they had come to the northern limits of the grounds, but he had seen no one.

Suddenly the girl exclaimed: "Listen!"

Orme stopped the car. Somewhere from the distance came a faint hum. "Another car!" he muttered.

"Yes," she said. "Oh, but I can do no more. I am tired, Mr. Orme. We cannot catch that car, even if it does hold the man we want—and there is no way of being sure that it does."

"If there is any place to leave you, I will go after him alone." He had turned the car as he spoke and was sending it slowly southward.

"No," she said wearily. "We—you must do no more tonight. You have been so good, Mr. Orme—to help me in a matter of which I could tell you almost nothing. I won't even try to thank you—except by saying that you have understood."

He knew what she meant. He had met her need, because he had shown its greatness without her telling him. His recognition of her plight had been unaccompanied by any suggestion of ignored conventions. No gushing thanks would have pleased him half so much.

He smiled at her wistfully. "Does it all end here?"

"No," she said. "I will not let it end here. We are friends already; in fact, Mr. Orme, as soon as I can do so, I will see that we are friends in name. Can you accept as little a promise as that?"

"I can accept any promise from you," he said gravely. "And now shall I take you home?"

"Not home. It is too far. But I have some friends a few blocks away who will take me in. Turn here, please."

Under her guidance he took the car through several streets, drawing up at last before a large, comfortable-looking place, set back from the street, with a wide, shrub-dotted lawn before it. Several windows were still lighted. He descended to help her out.

She hesitated. "I hate to ask it, Mr. Orme," she finally said, "but you can catch the trolley back to Chicago. They will take care of the car here."

He nodded. "But one thing, Girl," he said. "I am going to find that other Japanese tomorrow. I shall get the envelope. Will you call me up at the apartment tomorrow noon? If I am not there, leave word where I can find you."

"I will do that. But don't get yourself hurt." She let him help her to the ground.

"At noon," he said.

"At noon. Good-night, my friend." She offered her hand.

"Good-night, Girl," he said, and then he bent over and kissed her fingers gently.

He stood by the car until she had crossed the lawn and ascended the steps—until the door opened and admitted her.

To follow the girl's suggestion and return at once to Chicago was Orme's intention when he said good-night to her. The hour was close to midnight, and the evening had been crowded so full with bewildering adventure that he was tired. Moreover, he looked forward to a morning that might well test his endurance even more strenuously.

He had now committed himself definitely to continue in the field against the Japanese. Except for his desire to serve this wonderful girl who had come so suddenly into his life, he doubtless would have permitted the mystery of the marked bill to remain unsolved. But since the recovery of the stolen papers was so important to her, he was prepared to run any risk in the struggle.

Who was she? But no, that was a question she did not wish him to ask. She was simply "Girl"—beautiful, tender, comprehending—his ideal incarnate. As he stood there, hesitant, before the house into which she had disappeared, he pictured her again—even to the strand of rebellious hair which had blown across her cheek. He could discover no fault in her perfection.

A man came into view on the drive at the side of the house; a servant to care for the car, of course; and Orme, with the uneasy feeling of one who has been trespassing, moved away toward the corner of the block. He looked back, however, and saw the newcomer clamber into the car and send it slowly up the drive.

At the same time a light illumined one of the upper windows of the house. A shadow was thrown on the curtain. Perhaps it was the girl herself. What explanation had she given her friends for appearing so late at their door? Probably she had told them no more than that she was tired and belated. She was not the kind of girl from whom an elaborate explanation would be asked or expected.

Then a thought startled him. Was this, perhaps, her home? No, she had spoken of the people who lived here as her friends, and she would not have tried to keep the truth from him by subterfuge. If this were her home and she had not wished him to know it, she would have requested him to leave her before they had come so far.

It dawned upon him that it would not be hard for him to learn who lived in this house, and possibly through that knowledge to get a clue to her identity. His heart warmed as he realized how completely she had trusted him. His assurance that he would not try to find out who she was had satisfied her. And Orme knew that, if she had been so readily assured, it was because she had recognized the truth and devotion in him.

With a happy sigh, he turned his back once and for all and walked rapidly away. But he did not go toward the electric-car line, which he knew must lie a few blocks to the west. Instead, he retraced the course they had come, for he had decided to visit the university campus once more and try to discover what had become of Maku, and more especially of the other Japanese, who had secured the papers. That he would be recognized and connected with the attack on Maku, was unlikely.

When he came to the corner of Sheridan road and Chicago avenue, he hesitated for a moment. Should he go north through the campus and seek a trace of the Japanese who had escaped? Nearly half an hour had gone since the adventure among the trees, and the man must have got completely away by this time. Having the papers, he surely would not linger to learn the fate of Maku.

Orme found himself wondering how the Japanese had got to Evanston. Granting that it had not taken them long to solve the abbreviated directions on the five-dollar bill, they could hardly have come by motor-car, for they had had a good half-hour start, and yet Orme had discovered them before their work was completed. Only on the assumption that their car had broken down on the way could Orme admit that they had used a motor-car. Moreover, how were two Japanese, whose appearance did not indicate the possession of much ready money—how were they likely to have a car, or even to rent one? And had they believed that they might be pursued? Would they not have come to Evanston by an obvious route of train or trolley?

These considerations led Orme to think that the car which he and the girl had heard in the distance could not have been occupied by the escaping Japanese.

The fellow, then, had probably made for the electric-car line, and in that event he would be well on his way to Chicago by this time. The car he had caught must have gone southward from Evanston about 10:45. The conductor would be likely to remember having had a Japanese on board; perhaps he would even remember where the Oriental had got off. The natural course for Orme, therefore, was to take a car himself and, if he did not



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meet the other car returning, to get off at the car-barns and make inquiries. The possibility that the Japanese had changed to the elevated road on the North side was great, but the conductor might remember if the change had been made.

But Orme did not turn at once toward the car-line. Though his logic pointed in that direction, he was irresistibly influenced by a desire to walk eastward along the drive where it skirted the southern end of the campus. A half-hour might go by, and still he would not be too late to meet, on its return, the car which the Japanese would have taken. He started, therefore, eastward, toward the lake, throwing frequent glances through the iron fence at his left and into the dark shadows of the oaks.

He came to the lake without encountering anyone. The road here swept to the southward, and on the beach near the turn squatted the low brick building which the girl had told him was the life-saving station. A man was standing on the little veranda. His suit of duck was dimly white in the light from the near-by street-lamps.

"One of the crew," Orme surmised, and he sauntered slowly down the little path.

The beach sloped grayly to the edge of the lake, where a breakwater thrust its blunt nose out like a stranded hulk. The water was calm, lapping the sand so gently that it was hard to believe that so g 's a murmur could ever swell into the roar of a northeaster. A launch that was moored at the outer end of the breakwater lay quiet on the tideless surface.

"Good-evening," said Orme, as the man turned his head. "Are you on watch?"

The life-saver slowly stretched. "Till 12," he answered.

"Not much longer, then?"

"No, thank heaven!"

Orme laughed. "I suppose you do get more than you want of it," he said. "But on a fine night like this I should think it would be mighty pleasant."

"Not if you have to put in several hours of study after you get through."

"Study?"

"Yes. You see, I have a special examination tomorrow."

"A service examination?"

"Oh, no—college."

"Are you a student?"

"All the crew are students. It helps a good deal, if you are working your way through college."

"Oh, I see. But surely the university hasn't opened for the fall?"

"No, but there are preliminary exams for those who have conditions to work off."

Orme nodded. "It's a fine campus you have—with the groves of oaks."

"Yes."

"Just the place for a quiet evening stroll. I thought I'd walk up the shore."

"There's a rule against going in there after dark."

"Is there? That's too bad."

"Something funny happened there just a little while ago."

"So? What was it?" Orme was getting close to the subject he most desired to hear explained.

"Why, one of the cops was walking along the shore and he found a Japanese, stunned."

"A Japanese!"

"He evidently had wandered in there and somebody had hit him over the head with a club."

"After money?"

"Probably. There've been a good many hold-ups lately. But the slugger didn't have a chance to get anything this time."

"How so?"

"He was bending over the Jap when the cop came up. He got away."

"Didn't the cop chase him?"

"No, the fellow had a good start, so the cop stayed by the Jap."

"And what became of the Jap?"

The life-saver jerked his head toward the door beside him. "He's in there, getting over his headache."

"Is he?" This was a contingency which Orme had not foreseen. Nor had he any desire to come face to face with Maku. But if he betrayed his surprise, the life-saver did not notice it.

"The cop is taking another look through the campus," he continued.

"What does the Jap say about it?" asked Orme.

"He doesn't say anything. It looks as though he couldn't speak English. The cop is going to get Asuki."

"Asuki?"

"A Jap student who lives in the dormitory."

"Oh," said Orme.

The fact that Maku would not talk was in a measure reassuring. His apparent inability to understand English was, of course, assumed, unless, indeed, he was still too completely dazed by the blow which Orme had given him, to use a tongue which was more or less strange to him. But what would he say if he saw Orme? Would he not accuse his assailant, hoping thus to delay the pursuit of his companion?

The danger was by no means slight. Orme decided quickly to get away from this neighborhood. But just as he was about to bid the life-saver a casual good-night, two men came around the corner of the building. One was a policeman, the other a young Japanese. Orme unobtrusively seated himself on the edge of the little veranda.

"How is he?" asked the policeman.

"All right, I guess," replied the life-saver. "I looked in a few minutes ago, and he was sitting up. Hello, Asuki!"

"Hello, there," responded the little Japanese.

"Come," said the policeman, after an unsuspicious glance at Orme, and mounting the steps, he led his interpreter into the station.

Now, indeed, it was time for Orme to slip away. Maku might be brought out at any moment. But Orme lingered. He was nearer to the solution of the secret if he kept close to Maku, and he realized, for that matter, that by watching Maku closely and, perhaps, following him home, he might be led straight to the other man. If Maku accused him, it should not, after all, be hard to laugh the charge away.

A murmur of voices came from within the station, the policeman's words alone being distinguishable.

"Ask him," the policeman said, "if he knows who hit him."

The undertones of a foreign jargon followed.

"Well, then," continued the policeman, "find out where he came from and what he was doing on the campus."

Again the undertones, and afterward an interval of silence. Then the policeman spoke in an undecided voice.

"If he don't know anything, I can't do anything. But we might as well get a few more facts. Something might turn up. Ask him whether he saw anybody following him when he went into the campus."

Orme had been straining his ears in a vain endeavor to catch the words of Asuki. But suddenly his attention was diverted by a sound from the lake. It was the "puh-puh-puh" of a motor-boat, apparently a little distance to the northward. The explosions followed one another in rapid succession.

He turned to the life-saver.

"What boat is that?" he asked.

"I don't know. Some party from

Chicago, probably. She came up an hour or so ago—at least, I suppose she's the same one."

The explosions were now so rapid as to make almost one continuous roar.

"She's a fast one, all right," commented the life-saver. "Hear her go!"

"Are there many fast boats on the lake?"

"Quite a number. They run out from Chicago harbor now and then."

Orme was meditating.

"Exactly how long ago did this boat pass?"

"Oh, an hour or more. Why?"

"She seems to have been beached up north here a little way."

"She may have been. Or they've been lying to out there."

In Orme's mind arose a surmise that in this motor-boat Maku and his companion had come from Chicago. The surmise was so strong as to develop quickly into a certainty. And if the Japanese had come by this boat, it stood to reason that the one who had the papers was escaping in it. He must have waited some time for Maku and, at last, had pushed off to return alone.

Were these Japanese acting for themselves? That did not seem possible. Then who was their employer?

Orme did not puzzle long over these questions, for he had determined on a course of action. He spoke to the life-saver, who appeared to be listening to the droning conversation which continued within the station.

"The hold-up men may be in that boat," remarked Orme.

"Hardly." A laugh accompanied the answer.

"Well, why not? She came north an hour or so ago and either was beached or lay to until just now."

"You may be right." Then, before Orme knew what was happening, the young man opened the door and called into the station: "Hey, there! Your robber is escaping on that motor-boat out there."

"What's that?" The policeman strode to the door.

"Don't you hear that boat out there?" asked the life-saver.

"Sure, I hear it."

"Well, she came up from the south an hour or more ago and stopped a little north of here. Now she's going back. Mr. Holmes, here—he grinned as he said it—"Mr. Holmes suggests that the hold-up man is aboard."

The reference to the famous detective of fiction was lost upon the policeman. "I guess that's about it, Mr. Holmes," he said excitedly; and Orme was much relieved to note that the life-saver's humorous reference had passed for an introduction. The policeman would have no suspicion of him now—unless Maku—

There was an exclamation from within the room. "What's the matter?" asked the policeman, turning in the doorway.

The voice of Asuki replied: "He say the robber came in a bicycle—not in a boat."

"But I thought he didn't see the fellow coming."

"He remember now."

The policeman started. "How did he know what we were talking about out here?" he demanded.

"He understand English, but not speak it," replied Asuki readily.

To the policeman this explanation was satisfactory. Orme, of course, found in it a corroboration of his guess. Maku evidently did not wish suspicion directed against the motor-boat.

The policeman reentered the station, eager to avail himself of the information which Maku was now disposed to give him.

Orme turned to the life-saver. "The Jap is lying," he said.

"Think so?"

"Of course. If he understands English so well, he certainly knows how to make himself understood in it. His story of the bicycle is preposterous."

"But what then?"

"Doesn't it occur to you that perhaps the Jap himself is the robber? His intended victim may have got the better of him."

"Yes," said the young man doubtfully, "but the fellow ran."

"That would be natural. Doubtless he didn't want any notoriety."



Getting Away.

"Haven't you forgotten something, sir?" asked the anxious waiter, as the thrifty guest prepared to depart without bestowing a tip.

"No, I think not. Here's my hat and here's my cane. I don't think I have forgotten anything."

"But you've forgotten me," said the waiter in exasperation.

"Not at all," answered the other. "I saw you standing there all the time. Bon soir, garcon; bon soir."

It's possible that he thought he had killed his assailant, and had an unpleasant vision of being detained in the local jail until the affair could be cleared up."

The life-saver looked at Orme searchingly.

"That sounds pretty straight," he said at last. "I guess you know what you are talking about."

"Perhaps I do," said Orme quietly. "In any event I'd like to see who's in that boat out there."

"There isn't a boat nearer than Chicago that could catch her. They have run her several miles out into the lake before turning south, or she would have been pretty close to Chicago already. She's going fast."

The roar of the motor was indeed becoming a far-off sound.

"Why not telephone the Chicago police to intercept her?"

"There's no evidence against her," replied Orme; "only surmises."

"I know, but—"

"And, as I suggested, whoever was attacked by that Jap in there may not want notoriety."

Suddenly the distant explosions stopped—began again—stopped. Several times they were renewed at short intervals—"puh-puh-puh"—"puh-puh"—"puh-puh-puh-puh"—then they ceased altogether.

"Hello!" exclaimed the life-saver. "They've broken down."

He picked up a pair of binoculars which had been lying on the veranda near him, and scanned the surface of the lake.

"Make her out?" queried Orme.

"No, she's too small, and too far off." He handed the nightglass to Orme, who in turn searched the water vainly.

"Whose boat is that moored to the breakwater?" asked Orme, lowering the glass.

"Belongs to a man here in town."

"Would he rent it?"

"No. But he lets us run it once in awhile. We keep an eye on it for him."

Orme took out his watch. "It's almost 12," he said. "You'll be relieved in a few moments. Do you suppose I could persuade you to take me out to the other boat?"

The life-saver hesitated. "I'd like to," he said. "But my study—"

"There'll be some sport, if we get within reach of the man out there," Orme put in.

"Well—I'll do it—though the chances are that they will make their repairs and be off again before we come within a mile."

"I'm much obliged to you," said Orme. "If you would let me make it right—"

"For taking you out in another man's boat? No, sir."

"I know. Well—my name is Orme, not Holmes."

"And mine," grinned the life-saver, "is Porter."

A man turned in from the drive, and sauntered toward them.

"There's my relief," said Porter. "Hello, Kelmels!"

"Hello," replied the newcomer.

"Just wait till I punch the clock," said Porter to Orme.

"Punch the clock? Oh, I see; the government times you."

"Yes."

Porter went into the station for a moment; then, returning, he exchanged a few words with the relief and led Orme down to the breakwater. The launch which was moored there proved to be a sturdy boat, built for strength rather than for speed.

Orme cast off while Porter removed the tarpaulin from the motor and made ready to turn the wheel over.

"Is the policeman still busy with the Jap?" Orme questioned suddenly.

"Yes."

"He won't get anything out of him," said Orme—"except fairy stories."

Porter started the motor and stepped forward to the steering-wheel. Slowly the launch pushed out into the open lake, and the lights of the shore receded.

No sound had come from the disabled boat since its motor stopped. Doubtless it was too far off for the noise of repairs to be heard on the shore. Orme peered over the dark surface of the water, but he could see nothing except the lights of a distant steamer.

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As It Impressed Him.